concepts of Ayurveda, Homoeopathy, Unani, Siddha andYoga in the curriculum of MBBS students. The Council has constituted a Sub-committee to consider the matter, the report of which is awaited.

(c) and (d) No, Sir.

Updating of list of medicines

2899. SHRI MANOJ BHATTACHARYA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) when the list of drugs or medicines for purchase and dispensing in CGHS dispensaries was made;

(b) whether the list is updated from time to time; and

(c) if so, when it was updated last and the new medicines included in recent years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA): (a) to (c) The formulary containing the list of medicines for the CGHS was made in 1996 and the validity of the same has been extended from time to time. The formulary containing the list of Generic drugs for the CGHS was prepared on 23.1.99 and the validity of the same has also been extended. Further, a Committee which has been constituted under the Chairmanship of Dr. J. N. Pande on 16.11.2000 for preparing the combined drugs formulary for the MSO and CGHS has yet to submit its report.

Impact of Computer on Eyes

2900. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state: \

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the newsitem captioned "Computer users vulnerable to eye complaints" which appeared in the Statesman, dated 2nd May, 2001;

(b) if so, whether any research has been made by Government on the impact of computers on eyes;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the steps Government propose to take to protect the eyes from the adverse effect of computers?